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LA BARGE IS BOUND OVER

WILLIAM WATSON TELLS HIS STORY

ON THE WITNESS STAND.

His Operations in Second-Hand Furniture—Pay for a Dog's Bite—Other Cases in the Courts.

William La Barge, charged with assaulting with intent to kill William Watson, North in the cellar of the latter's home at 788 North New Jersey street, was yesterday bound over to the grand jury by Judge Daly, of the Police Court. Watson told the same story on the witness stand that he related to the police when La Barge was arrested a week ago. In cross-examination Watson was made to tell his methods of doing business. He said he bought furniture and other goods from the public and placed in his home and advertised for sale on the pretense that he was about to leave for Europe. The articles sold were replaced with others stored in the cellar. He said he operated in Chicago, Buffalo, St. Louis and other large cities.

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THE TANZY CASE HEARING

CHARGES MADE BY WHITE WOMEN AGAINST A COLORED PATROLMAN.

They Claim He Accosted Them on the Street Before His Appointment—Before the Safety Board.

The investigation of the charges against Benjamin Tanzy, colored, who was appointed as a member of the police force a few weeks ago, and against whom affidavits were filed, charging him with insulting white women, began before the Board of Safety yesterday afternoon. The crowd was so large it was necessary to have the hearing in the mayor's office, and because there were so many witnesses present the board adjourned to the mayor's private office and there conducted the investigation with the attorneys and newspaper reporters present.

Nearly all of the afternoon was consumed in the testimony of May Eaton and Irma Morrow, the two white women who made the charges. John Spahr and Deputy City Attorney Bell prosecuted the case and Tanzy was represented by Attorney John Keating. Tanzy sat by his attorney during the proceedings and kept his eyes on each witness in a searching manner. He evinced no surprise when Miss Morrow recited a conversation she alleged she had with Tanzy one day last fall when the colored man accosted her.

The investigation was made on a resolution prepared by the board, charging Tanzy with accosting Miss Eaton and Miss Morrow, and with making insulting remarks to the alleged victims.

NOT ALLOWED TO TESTIFY.

Near the close of the proceedings, yesterday afternoon, Attorney Bell attempted to give the defendant a surprise by calling Arlie Shuman to the stand to testify to an incident similar to that with which Tanzy was charged. Attorney Keating raised a strong objection and cited the board to its own rulings pertaining to the filing of charges and the conduct of trials. He said such evidence was not admissible, because there was no charge that Tanzy had committed the act that Mr. Bell wanted to prove by Shuman. Chairman Hyde, of the board, ruled that Shuman was not to testify. Attorney Spahr said that Shuman, if allowed to testify, would say that he was in Tanzy's barber shop on North Illinois street, one day last fall, when he saw Tanzy follow a white girl and she went into a yard near by. He said Tanzy came back and told Shuman that he guessed he had missed his shadow that day. Shuman was told to appear at court this morning.

The first witness called was Miss May Eaton. She said that on the evening of Feb. 13 she was walking north on Illinois street and she saw a colored man, Tanzy, follow her. He stopped near Thirtieth street and when she attempted to pass him he said to her: "May I speak to you, lady? I want to tell you a story."

She answered: "No, sir," and passed him, going into Dodd's grocery store near by, where she told Mr. Dodd the circumstance. She claimed she did not know Tanzy's name at that time, but learned it the next evening. The night of Feb. 13 she attended the lodge meeting of the Daughters of the Rebekah and the circumstance to Ernest Mockford. Miss Eaton said she made an affidavit at the police station regarding the incident, but the affidavit did not contain Tanzy's name. It merely said a "colored man."

IRMA MORROW'S CHARGE.

Irma Morrow, Tanzy's other accuser, was the next witness called. She said she was seventeen years of age and lived with her mother, two sisters and an aunt at 3151 North Illinois street. The house is owned by Marion Eaton, father of the first witness. She said she had seen Tanzy when passing his barber shop. She testified that on the evening after Thanksgiving day she was going home between 5 and 5:30, when, at the corner of Twenty-third street and Capitol avenue, she saw Tanzy leaning against a telephone pole, and he said "Good evening" to her, but she did not answer him.

Miss Morrow said she went into a grocery store, and when she came out Tanzy was standing on the corner. She said she did not know Tanzy's name at that time, but learned it the next evening. The night of Feb. 13 she attended the lodge meeting of the Daughters of the Rebekah and the circumstance to Ernest Mockford. Miss Eaton said she made an affidavit at the police station regarding the incident, but the affidavit did not contain Tanzy's name. It merely said a "colored man."

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